GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2617
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2000
ANGANWADI
AVTAR SINGH BHADANA

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the qualification prescribed for the Anganwadi staff;

(b) the financial assistance granted by the Union Government for running such Anganwadis, State-wise;

(c) whether the Members of Parliament of the respective areas are consulted for setting up of Anganwadi Centres; and

(d) if so, the details regarding the procedures followed in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) The Anganwadi Workers/Helpers must be from the local area/village. The Anganwadi Worker should be a matriculate or non-matriculate acceptable to the local community. No qualification for Helper is prescribed.

(b) Statement indicating State-wise financial assistance released during 1999-2000 is at Annexure.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT INDICATING STATE-WISE FUNDS RELEASED DURING 1999-2000.

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl.No.	State/Union Territory	Amount Released for 1999-2000.
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5402.87
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	817.00
3.	Assam	2211.00
4.	Bihar	4918.64
5.	Goa	284.13
6.	Gujarat	5370.21
7	Haryana	2754.12
8.	Himachal Pradesh	1640.09
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	1963.00
10.	Karnataka	5111.35
11.	Kerala	2641.82
12.	Madhya Pradesh	4368.00
13.	Maharashtra	6584.73
14.	Manipur	840.48
15.	Meghalaya	535.00
16.	Mizoram	535.66
17.	Nagaland	1245.00

18.	Orissa	4042.97
19.	Punjab	2413.14
20.	Rajasthan	4197.55
21.	Sikkim	129.75
22.	Tamil Nadu	10704.77
23.	Tripura	646.06
24.	Uttar Pradesh	11349.00
25.	West Bengal	6088.00
26.	Delhi	818.42
27.	Pondicherry	181.58
28.	A&N Administration	130.44
29.	Chandigarh	78.29
30.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	26.83
31.	Daman & Diu	42.00
32.	Lakshadweep	25.69
TOTAL:		88097.59